

Romania-Hungary European Regional Development Fund

2 nd Restricted Call for Proposals - Concept Note	
Investment priority	9/a – Investment in health and social infrastructure which contributes to national, regional and local development, reducing inequalities in terms of health status, promoting social inclusion through improved access to social, cultural and recreational services and the transition from institutional to community-based services.
Project Title	Cross-border health co-operation for effective prevention and better quality medical services and efficient rehabilitation and recreation in Békés and Arad counties
Project no.	ROHU-236 CN
Partnership	LP: The Local Government of Békés County PP2: The Rescue Team Foundation for Emergency Situations of South Békés PP3: South East Hungary Special Emergency Service Association PP4: Arad County Council
Total ERDF budget	€ 262,361 for CN € 11,435,175.80 estimated for FAF
Objective	The project aims to implement an integrated cross-border development for the population of the border area that promotes cooperation, first aid, life-saving, rapid cure, prevention, rehabilitation and recreation.
Contribution	No. of health-care departments affected by modernized equipment: 17
to indicators	Population having access to improved health services: 792,431
Summary	 The PPs wish to address the following challenges in the eligible area: need for health cooperation in the area (joint projects, exercises, programs) through experience exchange, transfer of knowledge and ensuring efficient cross-border communication. The project's main activities are: development of 16 On-Duty Units equipment in Békés County (LP); placing life-saving devices, training volunteers to use the devices, developing an Android application as a digital assistant, implementing programs and content elements (PP2); establishment of Prevention, Rehabilitation and Recreation centers in Békés County (P2, PP3); ensuring publicity, carrying out marketing tasks(PP3); cardiovascular developments in the Arad County Hospital (PP4). Main expected results of the project are the following: development of the health level of the area concerned, the activation of the population, the strengthening of the cross-border relationship; effectively and efficiently promote healthcare developments, life-saving, first aid, rapid intervention, and prevention of the most common causes of deaths (sudden cardiac deaths, cardiovascular diseases) in the region; dissemination of knowledge, the transfer of life-saving knowledge, and shaping attitude of young people; strengthened international relations and improve the level of health communication; improved emergency response.